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H. R. 3631

To require the Secretary of the Navy to conduct a study on ordnance and munitions waste in San Diego Bay.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 1, 1998

Mr. BILBRAY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on National Security

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. STUDY ON ORDNANCE AND MUNITIONS WASTE**

4 **IN SAN DIEGO BAY.**

5 (a) STUDY.—The Secretary of the Navy shall conduct
6 a study on ordnance and munitions waste in the San
7 Diego Bay. The study shall include assessments of the fol-
8 lowing:

9 (1) Past dredging activities by the Department
10 of the Navy in the San Diego Bay, including the ex-

1 tent to which such activities may have removed ma-
2 terial that contained ordnance or munitions waste,
3 and the extent to which such ordnance or munitions
4 waste may exist in areas that received fill material
5 from the dredging activities.

6 (2) The extent of the existence of ordnance and
7 munitions waste in the San Diego Bay, including an
8 assessment of the potential for that ordnance or mu-
9 nitions waste to be dredged up in dredging activities
10 carried out after the date of the enactment of this
11 Act.

12 (3) The risks involved in using material
13 dredged up from the San Diego Bay as fill material
14 in and around the area.

15 (4) Methods for cleaning up ordnance and mu-
16 nitions waste in the San Diego Bay that are both
17 cost-effective and protective of the environment.

18 (b) REPORT.—Not later than one year after the date
19 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of the Navy
20 shall submit to Congress a report on the results of the
21 study conducted under subsection (a), with such findings
22 and recommendations as the Secretary considers appro-
23 priate.

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